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Subject: Proposed Dec 16 - Dec 22 Operations Plan

Attached and reproduced below is the proposed operations plan for the upcoming week Dec 16 - Dec 22. This plan is predicated on the full time opening of the Delta Cross Channel gates.

The opening of the DCC gates is considered necessary to improve the interior/southern Delta water quality.

Implementation of the proposed plan is set to be discussed on the NNG conference call at 2:00 pm today.

The number is (415) 228-4834 and the access code is 40240.

Proposed Operations Plan for December 16, 1999 December 22, 1999

Thursday December 16, 1999

Delta Cross Channel Gates: Open 24 hours

Maximum combined exports: 1,600 cfs
CVP 800 cfs, SWP 800 cfs

Upstream releases:

Oroville 3,500 cfs
Keswick 6,000 cfs

Friday December 17, 1999

Delta Cross Channel Gates: Open 24 hours

Maximum combined exports: 1,600 cfs
CVP 800 cfs, SWP 800 cfs

Upstream releases:

Oroville 3,500 cfs
Keswick 5,800 cfs

Review water quality: If the southern interior Delta salinity decreases to below 0.9 mS/cm or Jersey salinity decreases to below conditions in the southern interior Delta, operations will begin ramping of exports at 500 cfs per day on Saturday.

Saturday December 18, 1999

Delta Cross Channel Gates: Open 24 hours

Maximum combined exports: 2,100 cfs
CVP 800 cfs, SWP 1,300 cfs

Upstream releases:

Oroville 3,500 cfs
Keswick 5,600 cfs

Sunday December 19, 1999

Delta Cross Channel Gates: Open 24 hours

Maximum combined exports: 2,600 cfs
CVP 800 cfs, SWP 1,800 cfs

Upstream releases:

Oroville 3,500 cfs
Keswick 5,500 cfs

Monday December 20, 1999

Delta Cross Channel Gates: Open 24 hours

Maximum combined exports: 3,100 cfs
CVP 800 cfs, SWP 2,300 cfs

Upstream releases:

Oroville 3,500 cfs
Keswick 5,500 cfs

Tuesday December 21, 1999

Delta Cross Channel Gates: Open 24 hours

Maximum combined exports: 3,600 cfs
CVP 800 cfs, SWP 2,800 cfs

Upstream releases:

Oroville 3,500 cfs
Keswick 5,500 cfs

Wednesday December 22, 1999

Delta Cross Channel Gates: Open 24 hours

Maximum combined exports: 4,100 cfs
CVP 800 cfs, SWP 3,300 cfs

Upstream releases:

Oroville 3,500 cfs

Keswick 5,500 cfs

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